(vi)	Representatives of Consumer Protection Organisation	 1
(vii)	GM's nominee	 1
(viii)	Minister's nominees under the category of 'special interest'.	 13

(c) Does not arise.

Welfare Programmes for Tribals in Assam

6442. SHRI PROBINDEKA: Will the Minister of HEALTH AND FAMILY WELFARE be pleased to state the details of the schemes proposed to be executed with the World Bank assistance for the welfare of tribals in Assam under the Family Welfare Programmes during 1992-93?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HEALTH AND FAMILY WELFARE (SHRIMATI D. K. THARADEVI SIDDHARTHA): No special Schemes are being executed with World Bank assistance for the welfare of Tribals in Assam under the Family Welfare Programme. However, a project on Child Survival and Safe Motherhood assisted by the World Bank and UNICEF is being implemented w.e.f. the current financial year in all the States including Assam. The Project would cover the districts of Kamrup and Naogaon during 1992-93 and would cover all districts by 1996. The project aims are reducing infant and material mortality in the country, through sustaining immunization and Oral Rehydration Therapy Programmes, expanding prophylaxis Schemes for pregnant women and children under 3 years of age; expanding pheumonia control programme and strengthening sub-centres, PHCs and identified Referral Units in the States of Assam, Bihar, Madhya Pradesh, Orissa, Rajasthan and Uttar Pradesh.

Training-cum-Employment Centres for Women

6443. SHRI ANNA JOSHI: Will the Minister of HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT be pleased to state:

(a) the number of Training-cum-Employment Centres for women in each State;

(b) the criteria for giving assistance to voluntary organisations for establishing such centres;

(c) the number of proposal received from such organisations, State-wise; and

(d) the number out of them approved?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT (DEPARTMENT OF YOUTH AFFAIRS AND SPORTS AND THE DEPARTMENT OF WOMEN AND CHILD DEVELOPMENT (KUMARI MAMATA BANERJEE): (a) A statement of projects sanctioned under the Scheme of Setting up Training-cum-Employment-cum-Production Units for Women since 1982-83 is enclosed.

(b) The criteria for giving assistance to voluntary organisations for establishing training-cum-employment centres under the

above scheme for women is as under-

(i) The project must require a substantial financial input.

(ii) Implementation of the project must be the responsibility of the recipient Non-Governmental organisation acceptable to the Government.

(iii) The project must have poor and needy women in urban slums and rural women as a major target group.

(iv) Emphasis of the project must be on income generating activities with the aim of achieving self reliance on a sustained basis.

(v) The project must be sustainable on a long term basis.

(c) and (d). The Scheme is in operation since 1982-83 and a list of the proposals received from the organisations, state-wise, is not maintained.

STATEMENT

Projects sanctioned state-wise since 1982-83

S. No.	*States*	*No. of Projects*
1.	Andhra Pradesh	48
2.	Assam	1
3.	Bihar	3
4.	Gujarat	9
5.	Haryana	33
6.	Himachal Pradesh	8
7.	Jammu & Kashmir	1
8.	Karnataka	7
9.	Kerala	7
10.	Madhya Pradesh	3
11.	Maharashtra	14
12.	Manipur	2
13.	Meghalaya	-

S. No.	*States*	*No. of Projects*
14.	Nagalad	-
15.	Orissa	11
16.	Punjab	23
17.	Rajasthan	5
18.	Sikkim	-
19.	Tamil Nadu	27
20.	Tripura	-
21.	Uttar Pradesh	23
22.	West Bengal	21
23.	Mizoram	-
24.	Arunachal Pradesh	-
25.	Goa	-
26.	Delhi	3
	Total:	250

Literacy Drive

6444. SHRIMATI VASUNDHARA RAJE: Will the Minister of HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT be pleased to state:

(a) whether the Government have proposed to involve more non-governmental organisations (NGOs) in the literacy drive;

(b) whether the involvement of NGO's would achieve greater success in the literacy drive; and

(c) if so, the steps taken in that direction?

THE MINISTER OF HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT (SHRI ARJUN SINGH): (a) There is a Central Scheme of assistance to voluntary agencies in adult education under which voluntry agencies are sanctioned projects of literacy/adult education.

(b) and (c). The Scheme has been revised and circulated in October 1991 envisaging that voluntary agencies would undertake projects in a compact and contiguous area to eradicate illiteracy in the age-groups of 15-35 within a period of two years on